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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF
CORRECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants request that a Certificate of Correction under 37 CFR 1.323 be granted for United States Patent No. 7,344,701, which issued from the above-identified application.

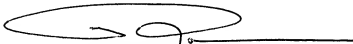
In the claims of the issued patent, there is a typographical mistake. Form PTO/SB/44 accompanying this request reflects the correction of this mistake.

In claim 10, column 76, line 30, "reactive functional group" should read --reactive group-- , in order to harmonize this term with its antecedent basis in claim 1.

Correction of the mistake does not introduce new matter or the need for reexamination. Accordingly, a Certificate of Correction is believed proper and grant thereof is respectfully requested.

The present Request for Certificate of Correction is submitted with the appropriate fee under 37 CFR 1.20(a). The Commissioner is authorized to deduct any additional fees from, or credit any overpayment to, the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

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